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For	:	LARGE SCALE STORAGE OF VIABLE SOMATIC STEM AND/OR PROGENITOR CELLS
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the above-captioned U.S. application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.